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11. On April 24, post faxed reftel points in English to the Foreign Ministry's Director of Multilateral Affairs, Magda Enriquez, who speaks and reads English. On April 26, post's Spanish translation was sent to the MFA. The Ambassador met with Foreign Minister Samuel Santos on May 2, the earliest available opportunity, to discuss the points. Santos clarified that the Nicaraguan government (GON) supports the peaceful use of nuclear energy and recognizes the need for an international nuclear regulatory body, like the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), to ensure that nuclear activities serve only peaceful purposes. TRIVELLI